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## Supervisor's Report on Use of Force INVOLVED EMPLOYEE - Continuation

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Page 2 of 6 Involved Employee Middle I. Last Name First Name Rank Det. Alfredo Garcia Weight: Sex: Shift: Race: Height: Age: ○ EM ( Day ○ PM Regular Shift OT Shift Off Duty M O F н 5' 06" 175 Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): Unit of Assignment: GSU Operation Safe Streets Individual Category Individual Force Used: ♠ Directed ← Rescue ← Medical Assist ①1 ②2 ③3 Control Holds/Resisted Handcuffing Coroner Case # Injured Treated Admitted Facility: Employee # Last Name First Name Middle I. Rank Sex: Weight: Height: Race: Age: Shift: OEM ODay OPM Regular Shift OT Shift Off Duty O M OF Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): Unit of Assignment: Individual Category Individual Force Used: C Directed C Rescue C Medical Assist O1 O2 Coroner Case # Injured Treated Admitted Facility: Employee # Last Name First Name Middle I. Rank Sex: Weight: Height: Shift: Race: Age: Regular Shift OT Shift Off Duty ○ EM ○ Day ○ PM OM OF Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): Unit of Assignment: Individual Category Individual Force Used: C Directed C Rescue C Medical Assist  $\bigcirc 1 \bigcirc 2$ Coroner Case # Injured Treated Admitted Facility: Employee # Middle I. Rank Last Name First Name Height: Weight: Shift: Race: Age: ○EM ○Day ○PM Regular Shift OT Shift Off Duty OM OF Unit of Assignment: Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): Individual Category Individual Force Used: C Directed C Rescue C Medical Assist Q1 Q2 Coroner Case # Injured Treated Admitted Facility: Employee # Middle I. Rank ast Name First Name Height: Weight: Regular Shift OT Shift Off Duty ○EM ○ Day ○ PM OM OF Work Assignment (Unit #, Module, etc.): Unit of Assignment: Individual Force Used: Individual Category C Directed C Rescue C Medical Assist  $\bigcirc 1 \bigcirc 2$ ()3 Coroner Case # Injured Treated Admitted Facility:

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### Supervisor's Report on Use of Force EMPLOYEE / NON-EMPLOYEE INFORMATION

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## Supervisor's Report on Use of Force 917-00062-2413-145

#### Method

(AW)	Arwen	(FH)	Firearm (Handgun)	(PO)	Personal Weapon (Other)
(BC)	Baton: (Control)	(FR)	Firearm (Rifle)	(RS)	Resistance
(BI)	Baton: (Impact)	(FS)	Firearm (Shotgun)	(CN)	Restraint Device (Capture Net)
(BF)	Bodily Fluids	(FO)	Firearm (Other)	(RH)	Restraint Device (Handcuffs)
(CN)	Canine	(FB)	Flashbang	(HB)	Restraint Device: Hobble (Legs Only)
(CR)	Carotid Restraint	(FL)	Flashlight	(TP)	Restraint Device: Hobble (TARP)
(CH)	Choke Hold	(OE)	Other Weapon: Edged	(RE)	Restraint Device: REACT Belt
(CT)	Control Holds: (Control Techniques)	(OV)	Other Weapon: Vehicle	(SP)	Sap
(TT)	Control Holds: (Team Takedown)	(OB)	Other Weapon: Blunt Object	(SH)	Shield
(TD)	Control Holds: (Takedown)	(00)	Other Weapon: Other	(SG)	37mm Stinger
(CE)	Chemical	(PK)	Personal Weapon: Feet/Leg: (Kick)	(SB)	Sting Ball
(OC)	Chemical Agents (OC Spray)	(PS)	Personal Weapon: Feet/Leg: (Sweep)	(ST)	Stun Bag
(TG)	Chemical Agents (Tear Gas)	(PH)	Personal Weapon (Hand/Arm)	(TR)	Taser
(EX)	Explosives	(PP)	Personal Weapon (Push)	(UC)	Uncooperative

Type of Injury					Body	Part Injui	red			
(AB) Abrasion (BR) Bruise (BU) Burn (CP) Complaint of Pain (CO) Concussion (DH) Death (DI) Dislocation	(FR) (GS) (HB) (LC) (ND)	Dog Bite Fractures Gunshot Human Bite Lacerations Nerve Damage Organ Damage	(PW) (SD) (ST) (UN) (RM)	Paralysis Puncture Wound Soft Tissue Damage Sprain/Twists Unconscious Refused Med Treatment NONE	(AD) (AK) (AR) (BK) (BT)	Abdomen Ankle Arm Back Buttocks	(FA) (FE) (FI) (GE) (GR) (HD)	Face Feet Fingers Genitals Groin Hands Head	(NO) (SH)	Hip Internal Knees Leg Neck Nose Shoulder Wrist

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Brown	S1	Navarrette	E2	RS	NN	
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	E3	Brown	S1	CT/RH	FR	AR
Garcia	E4	Brown	S1	CT/RH	NN	
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## COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

#### INVESTIGATIVE SUMMARY

INCIDENT:

Use of Force, Skeletal Fracture

IAB FILE NUMBERS:

FO 2426262

URN#:

017-00062-2413-145

DATE/TIME:

April 27, 2017, Thursday, 0935 Hours

LOCATION:

N. La Brea Avenue, Inglewood, CA 90302

#### SYNOPSIS

On April 27, 2017, an Internal Affairs Bureau (IAB) team, comprised of Lieutenant Roberta Granek, Sergeant Jorge Marchena, and Sergeant Michael Maxwell, responded to Centinela Hospital regarding a use of force resulting in a skeletal fracture.

On April 27, 2017, at 0935 hours, a team comprised of members from Operation Safe Streets, Gang Surveillance Unit (GSU) and special agents from the United States Marshals Office conducted a surveillance and apprehension operation in the city of Inglewood. The scope of the operation was to locate and arrest Suspect Larreal Brown. Suspect Brown, was a fugitive at large, wanted out of Tennessee for aggravated robbery, aggravated assault, rape, and aggravated kidnapping. An operations plan was prepared by Detective prior to the operation.

IAB Note: The operations plan and fugitive warrant are included as [EXHIBIT A].

The GSU team was comprised of Dete	ective	Detective	e Adam
Navarrette, Deputy	Detective	73.56	Deputy
Alfredo Garcia, Detective Matthew Lar	dreth, Deputy		Detective
Sergeant			The team
also included two special agents from	other agencies. Specia	I Agent	0 0
from Homeland Security and	Special Agent		from
the United States Marshals Office. Th	ey conducted a briefing	prior to t	he
commencement of the operation. The	briefing was held at O	peration S	Safe
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After the briefing, the team deployed in marked and unmarked vehicles around a business complex located at N. La Brea Avenue in the city of Inglewood. This complex was located on the northeast corner of N. La Brea Avenue and Hyde Park Avenue.  An unmarked van was positioned in the parking lot of the business complex with a uniformed arrest team. The mission of the arrest team was to apprehend the suspect prior to him entering the restaurant.
From his position of surveillance, on the southeast corner of N. La Brea Avenue and Hyde Park Avenue, Detective Navarrette observed the suspect exit a public bus across the street from the location. The information was relayed to the team via radio. This bus stop was on the southeast corner of the above mentioned intersection. The suspect crossed the street to the curb of N. La Brea Avenue. He walked toward the parking lot of the business complex. When the suspect entered the business complex, Deputy Deputy and Detective exited their vehicle and contacted the suspect. Deputy was armed with an Arwen and gave the suspect several verbal commands to show his hands and to stop. The suspect turned his body away from the arrest team, reached for his waistband, and stated he had a gun.
IAB Note: The Anti Riot Weapon Enfield "ARWEN" is a non-lethal launcher which fires 37mm non-lethal rounds.
The suspect ran north, away from the parking lot, across Hyde Park Avenue, toward a parking lot located at 702 N. La Brea Avenue. Deputy fired three rounds from his Arwen in an attempt to stop the suspect from fleeing. At least one round struck the suspect in the lower back. The rounds did not stop the suspect from fleeing and he continued northbound. Deputy Detective and Deputy initiated a foot pursuit of the suspect and relayed the pursuit to the rest of the team on their designated tactical frequency. Suspect Brown ran through the second parking lot and onto N. La Brea Avenue. Suspect Brown continued running north on the east sidewalk of N. La Brea Avenue.
Lieutenant beserved the suspect running north on the east sidewalk of N. La Brea Avenue. Lieutenant beserved his vehicle past the suspect and stopped ahead of the suspect in an attempt to cut him off. The suspect ran past Lieutenant vehicle and continued north on the east side of N. La Brea Avenue. Due to the fact the suspect had run ahead of the deputies that were in foot pursuit, Lieutenant coined in the foot pursuit to maintain a visual of the suspect for approximately 20 yards. As the suspect ran north, he fell on the street adjacent to the east sidewalk of N. La Brea Avenue. The suspect fell on his stomach with his hands underneath his stomach area.

Detective Navarrette, Detective and Detective Garcia reached the suspect while he was on the ground and struggled with the suspect to get his arms behind his back to handcuff him. Detective Navarrette was able to gain control of the suspect's left arm and Detective was able to gain control of the suspect's right arm. The suspect's arms were forcibly pulled behind his back and he was handcuffed. The force used to control and handcuff the suspect was directed by Lieutenant

After the suspect was handcuffed he complained of pain to his left arm. The suspect was treated at the scene by Los Angeles County Fire Squad 171. Suspect Brown was transported to Centinela Hospital for further treatment.

All the force used and witnessed during this incident was reported to Sergeant and Lieutenant

No weapons were recovered from the suspect.

All the reports documenting the incident were submitted as [EXHIBIT B].

The foot pursuit lasted less than one minute and covered a distance of approximately 120 yards. The foot pursuit evaluation form is included as **[EXHIBIT C]**.

#### INVOLVED EMPLOYEES AND WORK HISTORY

Deputy Sheriff, #

Special Operations Division Operation Safe Streets

#### **Work History**

Date of Employment:
Date Completed Patrol Training:

Date Assigned to Operations Safe Streets:

Prior Founded Force:

December 15, 1997

November 4, 2014

#### Equipment Worn On Person

Class A uniform
Vest
Gun Belt
Smith & Wesson M&P 9mm pistol
Magazines (2) M&P
Handcuffs
Radio
Arwen (Multi-shot)

Oleoresin Capsicum (OC) Spray PR-24 baton (in radio car)

Adam Navarrette, Deputy Sheriff, # Special Operations Division Operation Safe Streets

#### **Work History**

Date of Employment:

Date Completed Patrol Training:

Date Assigned to Operation Safe Streets:

Prior Founded Force:

March 23, 1999

November 4, 2014

#### Equipment Worn On Person

Civilian Clothing
Tactical Vest
Smith & Wesson M&P 9mm pistol
Magazines (2) M&P
Oleoresin Capsicum (OC) Spray
Handcuffs
Knife
Radio
PR-24 baton (in vehicle)

Deputy Sheriff, #

Special Operations Division Operation Safe Streets

#### **Work History**

Date of Employment:

Date Completed Patrol Training:

Date Assigned to Operations Safe Streets:

Prior Founded Force:

November 3, 2004

November 4, 2014

#### Equipment Worn On Person

Civilian Clothing
Tactical Vest
Smith & Wesson M&P 9mm pistol
Magazines (2) M&P
Oleoresin Capsicum (OC) Spray
Handcuffs
Knife

Radio

PR-24 baton (in vehicle)

Alfredo Garcia, Deputy Sheriff, # Special Operations Division
Operations Safe Street



#### **Work History**

Date of Employment:

Date Completed Patrol Training:

Date Assigned to Operations Safe Streets:

Prior Founded Force:

May 12, 1997 November 4, 2014

#### **Equipment Worn On Person**

Class A uniform
Smith & Wesson M&P 9mm pistol
Magazines (2) M&P
Oleoresin Capsicum (OC) Spray
Handcuffs
Taser
Radio
PR-24 baton (in vehicle)

#### **SUSPECT INFORMATION**

Larreal Jermaine Brown

Male, Black, DOB: September 23, 1981, 5'11", 200 pounds

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IAB Note: A copy of Suspect Brown's criminal history is included as [EXHIBIT D].

#### SUSPECT'S INJURIES

Suspect Brown sustained a displaced fracture of the left ulna at the elbow from being handcuffed and a bruise on his lower back from an Arwen round impact. See photographs submitted as **[EXHIBIT E]**.

Suspect Brown was transported to Centinela Hospital Medical Center and treated in the emergency room by Physician Assistant Prusha Paktinat. PA Paktinat stated the injuries sustained by the suspect were consistent with the force used due to the patient having a previous fracture of the left humerus. The fracture

was caused by a previous gunshot wound and was repaired with internal hardware.

IAB Note: A copy of Suspect Brown's medical records from

Centinela Hospital and medical jail records are

included as [EXHIBIT F].

#### **DEPUTY PERSONNEL INJURIES**

No deputy personnel were injured during this incident

#### PHYSICAL EVIDENCE

No physical evidence was collected.

#### **INVESTIGATOR'S OBSERVATIONS**

Five hours transpired from the use of force to IAB Investigator's observations.

The location where the Arwen was used was a business complex adjacent to a main street (N. La Brea Avenue). The business complex has its own parking lot and consists of numerous businesses. The roadway on N. La Brea Avenue has two lanes of travel each for vehicles in a north and south direction. There is a sidewalk for pedestrian traffic on both the west side and east side of N. La Brea Avenue. The cross street is Hyde Park Avenue, which is an east/west street with one lane of travel in each direction for vehicles. Hyde Park Avenue also has sidewalks on the north and south side for pedestrian traffic.

The location where the suspect was taken into custody was on the street on N. La Brea Avenue.

The scene was photographed by IAB Sergeant Jorge Marchena [EXHIBIT G].

#### **WEAPON USED BY DEPUTY PERSONNEL**

Deputy fired an Arwen.

Detective Navarrette used control holds.

Detective used control holds.

Detective Garcia used control holds.

#### **WEAPONS USED BY SUSPECT BROWN**

Suspect Brown was not armed during this incident. He resisted arrest by using his body to conceal his arms.

#### **PROPERTY DAMAGE**

None.

#### **CRIMINAL INVESTIGATORS AND CHARGES FILED**

The criminal investigation regarding the suspect resisting arrest was handled by OSS Detective Eric McDonagh. The suspect was charged with one misdemeanor count of 148 (A) (1) PC, on May 4, 2017. The suspect was convicted and sentenced to 10 days in the Los Angeles County Jail. Upon his release the suspect was extradited to Tennessee.

#### LIGHTING AND WEATHER CONDITIONS

The incident occurred during daylight hours. The weather was clear and cool.

#### WITNESS STATEMENTS

The following narratives are intended only as a synopsis of the interviews. Additional information and precise wording may be obtained by reviewing the digitally audio recorded interviews and verbatim transcriptions. IAB investigators reviewed any reports authored by the involved deputies and determined they were consistent with their IAB Administrative Force Review interviews.

#### INVOLVED EMPLOYEE DEPUTY Internal Affairs Bureau investigators interviewed Deputy - regarding this case. On April 27, 2017, Deputy was assigned to the Gang Surveillance Unit. As part of the team, he participated in the operation to locate and apprehend Suspect Brown. Deputy was assigned as part of a uniformed arrest team positioned in an unmarked vehicle in the parking lot of a business complex. Deputy was assigned the Arwen less-lethal weapon. Deputy along with Deputy and Detective were tasked with contacting Suspect Brown if he entered the parking lot of the complex. Detective Navarrette advised the team via radio he saw the suspect exit a bus and walk toward the parking lot. Deputy jumped out of the unmarked vehicle and told the suspect "Let me see your hands." Suspect Brown backed away and told Deputy

have a gun, I have a gun." The suspect reached for his waistband, as he bladed

his body away from Deputy and began to run away. Deputy

did not see the gun the suspect reached for, but fearing for his safety, Deputy
fired one projectile from the Arwen at the suspect. The intent of the
round was to stop the suspect from reaching for the gun the suspect claimed he
had. Deputy did not see the projectile strike the suspect. The suspect
ran north across Hyde Park Avenue into the parking lot of a second business
complex located north of Hyde Park Avenue.
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Deputy which welled for the suspect to stop running before he fired a second projectile at the suspect. Deputy and did not see if the second projectile hit the suspect and the suspect continued running northbound. Deputy pursued the suspect on foot into the second parking lot with Deputy and Detective Deputy fired a third projectile at the suspect in the second parking lot. Deputy did not see if the third projectile hit the suspect. The suspect ran through the second parking lot and exited north onto N. La Brea Avenue and continued running north.

When Deputy reached N. La Brea Avenue, he stopped pursing the suspect because the Arwen was getting too heavy to run with and he also saw several team members converging on the suspect [REFER TO DEPUTY FRANCRIPT, PAGES 9-12].

#### INVOLVED EMPLOYEE DETECTIVE ADAM NAVARRETTE

Internal Affairs Bureau investigators interviewed Detective Navarrette regarding this case.

On April 27, 2017, Detective Navarrette was assigned to the Gang Surveillance Unit. As part of the team, he participated in the operation to locate and apprehend Suspect Brown. As part of the operation, Detective Navarrette was assigned to a surveillance position in plain clothes in an unmarked vehicle. Detective Navarrette took a position in the parking lot of a Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) office across the street from the target location.

Detective Navarrette observed the suspect exit a bus on N. La Brea Avenue and walk toward the target location. Detective Navarrette relayed his observations to the rest of the team via radio. Detective Navarrette lost sight of the suspect as the suspect walked to the target location. Detective Navarrette heard other team members relay over the radio they had a visual observation of the suspect. Detective Navarrette subsequently heard Detective relay over the radio the suspect was running north on N. La Brea Avenue. Detective Navarrette moved from his position to take a containment position north on N. La Brea Avenue. When Detective Navarrette exited the DMV parking lot, he observed the suspect running north on the east sidewalk of N. La Brea Avenue with a few deputies and Lieutenant pursing the suspect.

Detective Navarrette stopped his vehicle on N. La Brea Avenue as he saw the suspect run into the north traffic lanes of N. La Brea Avenue. The suspect fell on his stomach in the number two lane of N. La Brea Avenue. Detective Navarrette ran to the suspect and grabbed a hold of the suspect's left arm while the suspect had his hands inserted in his waistband. The suspect yelled "I got a gun." Detective Navarrette did not see a gun, but could not confirm the suspect was not armed. Detective Navarrette ordered the suspect to show his hands, but the suspect did not comply. Detective assisted Detective Navarrette by taking ahold of the suspect's right arm and forcing it behind the suspect's back. Detective took control of the suspect's left arm from Detective Navarrette and handcuffed the suspect [REFER TO DETECTIVE NAVARRETTE'S TRANSCRIPT, PAGES 6-11].

#### INVOLVED EMPLOYEE DETECTIVE

Internal Affairs Bureau investigators interviewed Detective regarding this case.

On April 27, 2017, Detective was assigned to the Gang Surveillance Unit. As part of the team, he participated in the operation to locate and apprehend Suspect Brown. As part of the operation, Detective was assigned as part of an arrest team with two uniformed team members, Deputy and Deputy Detective was positioned with his partners in an unmarked vehicle in the parking lot of a business complex where the suspect was believed to work.

The team was advised via radio by Detective Navarrette, the suspect had exited a bus and was walking toward the business complex. Detective made visual contact with the suspect as the suspect approached the business complex. When the suspect walked into the parking lot, Detective Deputy and Deputy exited their vehicle and contacted the suspect.

Deputy gave the suspect several verbal commands to "Put your hands up, get on your knees." The suspect yelled, "No, I've got a gun" and reached for his waistband. The suspect backpedaled, turned around and began running toward Hyde Park Avenue. Detective observed Deputy observed Deputy fire one projectile from his Arwen at the suspect. The projectile hit the suspect on his lower back. The projectile had no effect and the suspect continued running. Deputy fired a second projectile, but Detective did not see if the projectile hit the suspect. The suspect continued running across Hyde Park Avenue and through a second parking lot located north of Hyde Park Avenue. Deputy fired a third projectile at the suspect, which missed the suspect.

Detective broadcasted to the rest of the team the suspect was running and they were in foot pursuit. The suspect exited the second parking lot

and ran north on N. La Brea Avenue. Once on N. La Brea Avenue, Lieutenant joined the foot pursuit after he exited his vehicle. The suspect fell when he entered the number two lane of N. La Brea Avenue. Detective Navarrette contacted the suspect first and attempted to control the suspect's left hand. Suspect Brown resisted by keeping his right hand underneath his stomach. Detective gained control of the suspect's right arm and handcuffed him [REFER TO DETECTIVE TRANSCRIPT, PAGES 6-12].

#### INVOLVED EMPLOYEE DETECTIVE ALFREDO GARCIA

Internal Affairs Bureau investigators interviewed Detective Garcia regarding this case.

On April 27, 2017, Detective Garcia was assigned to the Gang Surveillance Unit. As part of the team, he participated in the operation to locate and apprehend Suspect Brown. Detective Garcia was assigned an external containment position in uniform, operating a black and white sheriff's patrol vehicle. Detective Garcia's duties were to provide a uniform presence as needed.

Detective Garcia heard radio traffic the suspect was seen exiting a bus and was walking to the target location. Detective Garcia drove his vehicle to the target location while monitoring radio traffic. As Detective Garcia drove west on Hyde Park Avenue, he saw the suspect run north across Hyde Park Avenue with deputies following him on foot [REFER TO WITNESS GARCIA'S TRANCRIPT, PAGES 6-7].

Detective Garcia observed the suspect run through a parking lot located north of Hyde Park Avenue and onto N. La Brea Avenue. Detective Garcia observed Lieutenant running behind the suspect. Detective Garcia drove his patrol car alongside the suspect and yelled for him to stop running. Detective Garcia observed the suspect fall. Detective Garcia exited his vehicle with a Taser and converged on the suspect with Lieutenant and Detective Navarrete. The suspect resisted the deputies' attempts to gain control of his arms to handcuff him. Detective Garcia removed the cartridge from the Taser and cycled it. Detective Garcia cycled the Taser so the suspect could hear it prior to using it for a contact shot if needed. Detective Garcia handcuffed one of the suspect's wrist, but could not recall which one. The suspect was subsequently handcuffed, but Detective Garcia could not recall who handcuffed the suspect's wrist together [REFER TO DETECTIVE GARCIA'S TRANSCRIPT, PAGES 9-13].

### <u>DEPUTY</u>

Internal Affairs Bureau investigators interviewed Deputy regarding this case.

Information was relayed via radio, the suspect had exited a bus and was walking to the target location. Lieutenant drove his vehicle closer to the target location while monitoring radio traffic for an update. Radio traffic was broadcasted the suspect was running north. Lieutenant saw the suspect "pop" onto N. La Brea Avenue. The suspect ran north on the east sidewalk of N. La Brea Avenue.
Lieutenant activated the lights and siren on his vehicle and drove ahead of the suspect to cut him off. Lieutenant stopped his vehicle, but by the time he exited, the suspect ran past him. Lieutenant oined in the foot pursuit of the suspect to maintain a visual as he was ahead of the other deputies that pursued the suspect on foot [REFER TO LIEUTENANT FRANCRIPT, PAGES 6-9].
Lieutenant pursued the suspect approximately 20 yards before the suspect fell on the ground. At that point Lieutenant Detective Navarrette, Detective and Detective Garcia converged on the suspect. Lieutenant directed the force used by Detective Navarrette and Detective to take the suspect into custody. The suspect's arms were forced behind his back and he was handcuffed.
The Arwen projectiles shot at the suspect were reported to him by Deputy at the conclusion of the incident [REFER TO LIEUTENANT TRANCRIPT, PAGES 11-14].
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Internal Affairs Bureau investigators interviewed Detective regarding this case.
On April 27, 2017, Detective was assigned to the Gang Surveillance Unit. As part of the team, he participated in the operation to locate and apprehend Suspect Brown. Detective was assigned to a surveillance position in the parking lot of the target location. Detective was dressed in civilian attire, operating an unmarked vehicle. Detective took a surveillance position by parking in a stall facing inward toward the business where the suspect was believed to work.
Detective was advised, via radio, the suspect had exited a bus and was walking toward the target location. Detective made visual contact with the suspect when he saw the suspect walking on Hyde Park Avenue. Detective bbserved the arrest team make contact with the suspect and yell verbal commands to show his hands. The contact was made in the parking lot of the target location. The suspect bladed his body away from the arrest team and began to run in a northern direction. Detective

Detective did not see if the round hit the suspect.
Detective observed Deputy and Deputy pursue the suspect on foot. Detective observed Deputy fire a second Arwen round at the suspect, but did not see if the round struck the suspect. As the suspect ran north, Detective ost sight of him and the deputies that pursued him. Detective exited his vehicle and stayed with the other unmarked vehicles left in the parking lot [REFER TO DETECTIVE TRANCRIPT, PAGES 9-15].
SPECIAL AGENT
Internal Affairs Bureau investigators interviewed Special Agent regarding this case.
On April 27, 2017, Special Agent was assigned to the Gang Surveillance Unit. As part of the team, he participated in the operation to locate and apprehend Suspect Brown. Special Agent was assigned to a surveillance position in a parking lot across the street, north of the target location. Special Agent was dressed in civilian attire, operating an unmarked vehicle. Special Agent took a surveillance position by parking in a stall facing outward toward Hyde Park Avenue.
Special Agent received information, via radio, the suspect had exited a bus and was walking toward the target location. Special Agent made visual contact with the suspect when the suspect reached the parking lot of the location where he worked. Special Agent heard radio traffic to converge on the suspect, at which point he drove into the parking lot of the target location.
As Special Agent drove into the parking lot, he saw the suspect run past his vehicle in a northern direction. Special Agent observed Detective and Deputy fun after the suspect. Special Agent exited his vehicle and joined the foot pursuit. Special Agent observed Deputy fire one round from the Arwen at the suspect, but did not see if the round hit the suspect. Special Agent continued to pursue the suspect onto N. La Brea Avenue. The suspect ran northbound on the east sidewalk of N. La Brea Avenue. Special Agent observed the suspect fall, when the suspect attempted to cross N. La Brea Avenue.
Special Agent reached the suspect and assisted two deputies who were trying to handcuff the suspect by putting one knee on the suspect's legs and holding down the suspect's feet. The suspect was subsequently handcuffed

without further incident [REFER TO SPECIAL AGENT]
TRANSCRIPT, PAGES 6-12].

#### SUSPECT LARREAL BROWN

Internal Affairs Bureau investigators interviewed Suspect Brown regarding this case. Suspect Brown was interviewed in the emergency room at Centinela Hospital Medical Center.

Suspect Brown was contacted by deputies in the parking lot of his work. Suspect Brown stated when he was contacted, he identified they were police officers. Suspect Brown turned away from them and ran toward N. La Brea Avenue. When he initially ran, Suspect Brown believed he was hit with two or three rubber bullets on his back. Suspect Brown ran twenty feet before he tripped and fell. After he fell deputies pinned him down.

Suspect Brown told the deputies his arm was broken while they were trying to handcuff him. Suspect Brown stated due to a prior injury his left arm does not bend at the elbow and the deputies may have believed he was resisting due to the lack of movement in his left arm. Suspect Brown's arms were forced behind his back and he was handcuffed.

IAB Note: Suspect Brown said he had sustained a gunshot wound to his left arm on a previous occasion which shattered his left humerus. He had pins installed and his elbow was removed.

Suspect Brown ran because he knew he was wanted and did not want to go to jail.

Suspect Brown complained of pain to his left arm and lower back [REFER TO SUSPECT BROWN'S TRANSCRIPT].

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Sergeant Detective Landreth, Deputy and Special Agent were part of the operation and interviewed regarding this case, however none of them witnessed any of the force used. Their interview transcripts are included in the case file.